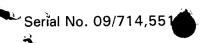


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADELARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. 043034/0135 pplicant: Masaki WATANABE PRINT DATA CONTROL SYSTEM RECEIVED Serial No.: 09/174,551 FEB 2 6 2002 Filed: October 19, 1998 **Technology Center 2600** Examiner: K. Poon 2624 Art Unit: **CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA) REQUEST TRANSMITTAL** Commissioner for Patents **Box CPA** Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir: This is a request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d), Continued Prosecution Application (CPA), for a: [X] Continuation [] Divisional application of the above-identified prior nonprovisional application of: Masaki WATANABE

in which no payment of issue fee, abandonment	t, or termination	of proceedings
has occurred. Priority to the above-identified pri	ior application is	hereby claimed
under 35 U.S.C. § 120 for this CPA.		

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[]	Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.	
[X]	Please enter the unentered amendment previously filed on 2002 in the prior application.	January 22,
[]	Please enter the enclosed Preliminary Amendment.	88
Enclo	sed are:	740.00 252.00
	[] Small Entity statement.	0 0917
	[X] Petition for Extension of Time.	00000030 0917455: 74(25i
	[] Information Disclosure Statement.	
	[] Form PTO-1449 with copies of listed reference(s).	02/25/2002 GGEBREH1 01 FC:131 02 FC:102



The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims	-	Rate		Fee Totals
Basic Fee							\$740.00		\$740.00
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- [] Applicant requests suspension of action under 37 CFR 1.103(b) (fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) enclosed).
- [X] A check in the amount of \$1282.00 to cover the filing fee (\$992.00/CPA & \$290.00) is enclosed.
- [] The required filing fees are not enclosed but will be submitted in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

February 22 2002

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